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ARRESTED ON UNRELATED DRUG CHARGES WHILE OUT OF JAIL

Grand jury indicts Elba man for murder

by Marvin McLwain
Editor

An Elba man has been indicted on murder charges by a grand jury meeting in regular session.

On Monday, October 24, 1994, the Coffee County, Elba Division Grand Jury returned a true bill on murder charges filed against Timothy Ferrell Edge, age 37, of Route 1, Elba, Alabama.

Edge was arrested and later charged with murder in the shooting death of Billy Clifton Whitehead, age 32, also of Route 1, Elba.

According to authorities, Edge allegedly shot Whitehead on the night of June 21 at his (Edge's) residence.

Although there was no apparent motive for the shooting, police believe that Edge and Whitehead were arguing shortly before the shooting took place.

On the evening of the shooting, Elba police were called to the Edge residence at 8:51 p.m. after it had been reported that someone had been shot.

Upon arriving at the scene, officers found Whitehead lying in the yard with a single gunshot wound to

the chest.

He was taken to Elba General Hospital by a unit of the Elba Rescue Squad where he was pronounced dead shortly after he arrived.

The police found a .38 caliber revolver at the scene believed to be the murder weapon. The pistol was not registered, but is believed to belong to Edge.

The defendant was also charged with the unlawful possession of marijuana in the first degree when plants were found on the premises during the course of the murder investigation.

At the time of his arrest, Edge was placed in jail with the bond set at \$100,000 for the murder charge and \$10,000 for the possession of marijuana charge.

On September 2, District Judge Thomas Head approved a motion by the defendant's attorney to lower the \$100,000 bond to \$75,000, but ordered the \$10,000 bond to remain the same. Edge's filed contained a letter from the District Attorney's office NOT objecting to the lowering of his bonds.

However, Edge was released from jail on September 8, after signatures were obtained on an \$85,000

bond on the murder charge and a \$10,000 bond on the possession charge - total bond \$95,000.

This past weekend, Edge was again arrested by Elba police and charged with unlawful possession of marijuana in the first degree.

Reportedly, the latest arrest came after officers stopped a vehicle because of erratic driving. Edge was a passenger in the car.

After being taken to the Coffee County Jail and being processed, Edge was released on a \$5,000 appearance bond for his latest escape.

This newspaper has learned that on Monday, a motion was filed with the Circuit Clerk's office by the District Attorney's office requesting that Edge's bonds be revoked and that he be placed in the county jail to await trial.

Edge's arraignment on the murder charge has been scheduled for November 16 in Elba.

During the grand jury's session, members were presented evidence in 37 other cases. Of those 37 presentments, 25 indictments were returned and of those, 23 were felonies, 2 were misdemeanors. There were 8 cases continued and 4 cases were nolle.

Elba City Council members take vote at EGH

by Ferrin Cox
Publisher

The Elba City Council met in a short special session at 7:00 a.m. Thursday morning, October 27, to make an adjustment in the budget.

The meeting, scheduled for city hall, was adjourned to the waiting room of Elba General Hospital in order to get a quorum. Both Council members Bill Brunson and Gladys Yelverton were out of town. Council member Brad Wilson was at his job in the X-ray Department of the hospital and very busy. Therefore the group met in the waiting room and Wilson joined long enough to hear

the motion and cast his vote.

The annual budget approved by the council on September 26th included several adjustments, which is normal. This year there was a slight decrease in the police department budget of about \$6,300, made up mostly of discontinuing a \$25 per month hazardous duty pay for police officers.

One of the conditions of receiving a portion of the drug money from a half million drug bust in which Elba assisted, was that the budget for the police department not be reduced from the previous year. There was over \$30,000 at stake and a financial report was due to be submitted to the

drug enforcement agency by the last day of the month.

Police Chief Jack Parker respectfully requested the council restore the funds to the budget. He asked that the hazardous duty pay be restored, but the council declined to do this.

The council voted to restore the \$6,300 to the police department budget, but didn't reinstate the hazardous duty pay to the officers.

The motion, approved by the mayor and all three council members present, simply replaced the funds in the department budget.

The motion also included, at the request of Mayor Ricky Haywood, a request for an addition transfer of the \$6300 from the Water and Electric Department to insure the budget remain balanced.

Food stamp allotments increase

by Marvin McLwain
Editor

During the month of October, most food stamp households in Alabama and throughout the nation saw an increase in their monthly food stamp allotments, thanks to some adjustments in eligibility guidelines set forth by the U. S. Department of Agriculture (USDA), the agency which also supplies the food stamps.

"The amount of the increase varied from one food stamp household to the next, depending upon family size, income, and eligible deductions," said Ms. Lynda Bridle, di-

rector of the Coffee County Department of Human Resources.

Eligible food stamp families did not have to do anything to receive the increase.

"The size of the increase was automatically calculated by our agency's food stamp staff," said Ms. Bridle.

The average allotment for food stamp households in Alabama increased from \$172 a month to approximately \$179 a month.

The maximum allotment for a one-person household changed from

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IT'S OFFICIAL. ALFA HAS MOVED...Open House was held last Friday morning to make it official. ALFA is now doing business in its new offices located at 617 West Davis Street in Elba. A ribbon cutting ceremony was held at 11:00 a.m. with Elba Mayor Ricky Haywood doing the honors. He was assisted by Little Miss Elba Anna Marie Harrison and Junior Miss Elba Brittany McCall. Pictured above (second row) looking on as the young ladies and the Mayor "do their thing" are (l-r): Jerry Kirkland, ALFA agent; Treva Driscoll, Executive Director of the Elba Chamber of Commerce; and Gary Allen, ALFA agent. Those present for the occasion at the time the ribbon was cut, joined in as the picture was "struck!"

Martin Luther King, Jr. Dr. Dedication Ceremony



Sunday afternoon, between 50 and 75 individuals gathered on what used to be School Street in New Brockton to witness the changing of a name. On October 30, 1994 at 3:00 p.m. School Street was officially changed to Martin Luther King, Jr. Drive.

Presiding over the dedication ceremony was Alma Hornsby, vice chairperson of the Coffee County ADC. Ms. Hornsby was instrumental in getting the street name changed to honor the late Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

Joining the residents and officials from New Brockton were representatives of county government and other county officials.

Pictured above are residents of the newly dedicated street and local dignitaries joining Councilman Charles Cole (center at bow), in whose district the street is located, cutting the ribbon marked the official opening of the drive.

Shown at left are: Tommy Haynes (left), whose sister resides on the street, and Councilman Cole as they unveil the new street sign designating Martin Luther King, Jr. Dr.

Ms. Hornsby noted, "This is truly a great day in New Brockton as a man who truly cared about the welfare of ALL men everywhere was honored."

BARBARA HUDSON NAMED VICTIM'S SERVICE OFFICER

DA endorses crime victims' amendment

by Marvin McLwain
Editor

The cause for crime victims' rights got a boost from a local level Monday afternoon when 12th Judicial Circuit District Attorney Joel Folmar endorsed the proposed Amendment #3 to the Alabama Constitution.

Folmar began his called press conference with the statement, "When voters go to the polls on November 8th, they will find 26 proposed amendments to the Alabama Constitution.

"I'd like to take this opportunity to endorse and encourage the voters to support Amendment #3."

The amendment basically states that a crime victim has the right to be notified of, present at, and heard when authorized during the crucial stages of the criminal proceedings to the extent that it does not interfere with the rights of the accused.

"I feel that victims are long past due having these simple basic rights afforded to them in this proposed amendment," said Folmar. "And, I urge and ask the Alabama voters to vote 'yes' on proposed Amendment #3 on Tuesday, November 8th."

Folmar also announced the addition to his office of a full-time Victim's Service Officer.

He introduced Mrs. Barbara Hudson as the person who will be filling this new position.

"Barbara is now not only the Victim's Service Officer, but, unfortunately, a victim herself! Folmar said. She is the sister of the late Neil Grantham who served Coffee County as sheriff and was needlessly gunned down on March 1, 1979."

Mrs. Hudson's duties will include

working directly with victims, informing them of the different stages in the criminal proceedings and assisting them with the Alabama Crime Victims Compensation Commission.

Also present at the press conference were members of the newly formed Wiregrass Chapter of VOCAL (Victims Of Crime And Leniency) and a representative from the state-wide VOCAL organization.

Speaking on behalf of Alabama crime victims statewide, and has VOCAL was Darlene Hutchinson, who is vice president of the statewide organization.

She told the group, "For more than 200 years, criminal defendants to endure and encourage the voters to support Amendment #3."

While crime victims are not mentioned once in the U.S. or Alabama Constitutions. Next Tuesday, voters have the opportunity to change this!"

Hutchinson stated that a 1982 MENT #31"

Presidential Task Force for Victims of Crime reported that "somewhere along the way, the system has lost track of the simple truth that it is suppose to be fair and protect those who obey the law, while punishing those who break it."

For 12 years now, the VOCAL organization started by Miriam Shehane, herself a victim, (her daughter was kidnapped, brutally raped and murdered) has provided support to crime victims statewide, and has been the watchdog of the criminal justice system.

With nine chapters, VOCAL continually attempts to balance the scales of justice.

"Without a doubt, this amendment is Alabama's most important piece of crime victims legislation," Hutchinson said. "We implore Alabama's voters to favor AMENDMENT #3!"

* * HAPPENINGS * *

FRIDAY NIGHT FOOTBALL. The Elba Tigers vs Hillcrest at Evergreen; Zion Chapel plays McKenzie in Jack; New Brockton vs Coffee Springs at New Brockton; and Brantley plays Georgiana in Georgiana. Starting time for all games is 7:30 p.m.

ATTENTION SENIOR CITIZENS. The Home Health Division of the Coffee County Health Department will be giving flu shots at the Elba Senior Citizens Center Friday (TOMORROW), November 4 and Friday, November 11, at 1:00 p.m. Cost of the shot is \$5.00.

ALABAMA VS. AUBURN BLOOD DRIVE. Coffee County will host a two-day Auburn vs Alabama Run-Off Blood Drive on Monday, November 7, from 11:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. at the Farm Center in New Brockton and Friday, November 11, from 3:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church in Elba. Alabama and Auburn football fans will be pitted against each other in a blood battle that will help keep the blood supply at a safe level during the Thanksgiving holidays. Each person who registers to donate will score one point for their favorite team.

CITY OFFICES TO CLOSE. The offices of the City of Elba will be closed Friday, November 11, 1994, in observance of Veterans Day. Anyone having an emergency with water, electrical, or street should call the Elba Police Department at 897-2555.

GO VOTE NEXT TUESDAY
NOVEMBER 8, 1994

POLLS
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to
6:00 p.m.

BRAINSTORMS

With Ferrin Cox

Tuesday is election day in Alabama. We hope voters review the ballot before going to the polls. Otherwise there ain't no way anyone would ever cast an intelligent vote on all the offices, and we ain't even mentioned the 26 amendments on the ballot next week.

Several weeks ago a college student from North Alabama called, introduced himself and said he was surveying all the newspapers in the state about their endorsements in both the Governor's and Lt. Governor's races. We explained that we didn't endorse the first time around and probably wouldn't in the General Election. Finally, to give the young man some sort of answer, we explained that both Jim Folsom and Don Siegelman have been in our office many times over the years, both know where the bathroom is and know they don't have to ask permission to use it. That gave him the answer he needed and probably something to talk about in the dorm for several nights thereafter.

Don't forget, in addition to the local races, our own Terry Butts is the Democratic nominee for Associate Justice of the Alabama Supreme Court. Also, we remind readers that Terry and Suze have invited their Coffee County friends to join them Election Night as they count the numbers. They will be at Shasty's on Mulberry Street in Montgomery. The phone number at state headquarters is 263-0340 if you need directions. If you can't go and want to congratulate the newest Supreme Court Justice Tuesday night, just call him at Shasty's. That phone will probably be real busy, so the best idea is to just drive up there and drink a Big Orange with them Tuesday night.

Like so many Alabama voters, we are not real excited about our choice in some of the statewide races this year. However, one of the candidates on Tuesday's ballot will be elected in every race. Therefore, you better decide on one or the other, even if it means holding your nose and voting!

In the statewide judges races, we will stick with all Democrats except Place #3 of the Court of Civil Appeals. That one has our own John B. Crawley, of Brundidge, and he is a good man. He will not win, mainly because he hasn't policed, in fact we didn't even know he was running until the sample ballots were printed. Our vote is not to be on the winning side, but to speak a word for a good man.

AMENDMENT NO. 1 This is a proposal to modify the Constitution of Alabama to change the way of voting on amendments which affect only one county. This will help eliminate the long ballot you are facing Tuesday and will save the taxpayers money. It will cost the state's newspapers some advertising money, but we will vote yes.

AMENDMENT NO. 2 Proposes transfer of title to the land, equipment and facilities of the Alabama State Docks in Madison County to the Huntsville-Madison County Marina and Port Authority. This one is all right also.

AMENDMENT NO. 3 Proposes to improve the basic rights of crime victims in Alabama. This bill will not solve all the problems of victims, but it is a start. We vote yes.

AMENDMENT NO. 4 Proposes to permit public funds to be used for the recognition of significant contributions by students, teachers, staff and others to public education. There is nothing wrong with this as far as we can see. We will vote yes and hope it doesn't open the bar door to a flood of wasting of tax money.

AMENDMENT NO. 5 Proposes to prohibit the establishment of supplementary positions and allow those affected officials to be part of the Alabama Employees' Retirement System. We vote no here. It has some good and some bad. We feel the bad is too much to swallow, just to get some good. Maybe they will improve this bill until allowing every elected official in every branchhead get on state retirement fund.

AMENDMENT NO. 6 Will allow certain county ad valorem tax officials to participate in the state retirement system or other county retirement system, instead of the current supplementary program. We vote no here. This one is closely tied to the one above and scares us. **AMENDMENT NO. 7** Proposes to add two district judges to serve as members of both the Judiciary Inquiry Commission and Court of the Judiciary. This is a good idea and we have no problem at all with voting yes on this bill.

The balance of the 26 amendments (#8 through #26) relate to only a single Alabama county and none directly involve Coffee County. You can read a short recap of them on page 21. If you feel like voting on any of these, here is our usual position on these local bills: We vote yes or ignore them if they allow the people of the county involved to have the final say-so. However, if like #15, the bill could become law for Covington County without a single voter in Covington County voting in favor of it, we always go out of our way to vote NO! The amendment would allow bingo games in Covington County. It is not for us to decide on bingo for those folks, HOME RULE should allow them to have the final say on this matter. Another of the amendments deals with bingo also. However it gives the people of Houston County the right to have the final word on making bingo legal and we feel they should have that right.

The bottom line on the local amendments is: We recommend voters either ignore amendments #8 through #26 (with the exception of #15) or vote yes. What you will be doing with a yes vote is allowing the people in the particular county decide their own fate. We urge you to vote NO on #15 and keep voting no on this "ram it down their throat" type amendment until the laws are changed (such as Amendment #1 will try to do) or legislators learn not to even introduce bills with such wording.

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ELBA GENERAL HOSPITAL REPORT

Elba General Hospital had the following persons admitted during the time period of October 25, 1994 through October 31, 1994.

They were: Susan Hurd, Wade McWaters, Duvall Wise, Branson Bowers, George Stackhouse, Emma Hubbard, Richard Carlisle, Lula Mae Parker, Maudie Grimes, Manuel Weeks, Lum Lee Young, A. Hamilton, Malcolm Boothe, Verbie Sasser, Douglas Parrish, John Johnson, Maggie Brown, Heather Dwyer, William Hooks, Jr., Rebekah Sanders, Mary Carrett, and Timothy Flowers.

Patients discharged during the same period of time were: Nyoma Coleman, Lucene Ware, William Kelley, Scott Smith, Henry Stackhouse, Wade McWaters, Kay Phillips, Eunice Grimes, Thelma Scott, Nona Runion, Susan Hurd, Eunice Boutwell, Branson Bowers, Emma Hubbard, Duvall Wise, Lizzie Wright, Lula Mae Parker, Richard Carlisle, Verbie Sasser, Shirley Newsome, George Stackhouse, Manuel Weeks, and Mary Carrett.

ELBA POLICE REPORT

OCTOBER 25 THRU OCTOBER 31, 1994

The Elba Police Department, beginning Tuesday, October 25, 1994, investigated the following incidents: three harassments, one burglary, one receiving stolen property, one harassing communication, one menacing, and two possessions of marijuana.

The following arrests were made: one for attempting to elude, four for burglary, one for harassment, one for harassing communication, two for receiving stolen property, one for contempt of court, and two for possession of marijuana.

The following traffic citations were issued for the week: one for speeding, one for no driver's license, and one for an expired tag.

Daily activity highlights were as follows:
TUESDAY, OCTOBER 25
Alarm at Williams Sign (2:08 a.m.); Alarm at Elba High School (6:58 a.m.); River stage - 6.80 feet (7:17 a.m.); Burglary at D & S Barber Shop (8:50 a.m.); Rescue run to a residence on Smith Ave. (10:45 p.m.); Alarm at Runt's Auto Sav (9:40 p.m.).

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 26
Alarm at NASCO (5:38 a.m.); Res-

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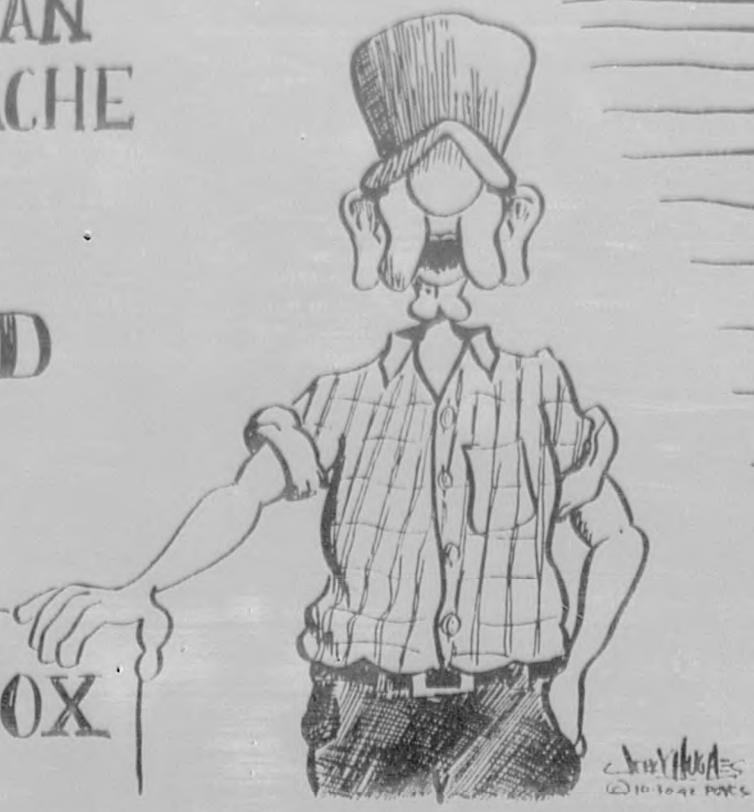
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ROTARY CLUB - Tuesday @ Noon - First Baptist Church Fellowship Hall
ELBA MINISTERS ASSN. - Tues. 8:00 a.m. Elba United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall
ELBA CITY COUNCIL - 2nd & 4th Monday 6:15 p.m. City Hall
WATER & ELECTRIC - 2nd Mon - 5:15 p.m. City Hall (after City Council meeting)
COFFEE COUNTY COMMISSION - 2nd & 4th Monday of each month - Community Room in Farm Center Complex @ New Brockton
LIONS CLUB - 2nd & 4th Tues. 6:30 p.m. Senior Citizen Center
ELBA CITY SCHOOL BOARD - 1st Thur. 5:30 p.m. Sup. Office
AMERICAN LEGION - 1st Thur. 7:30 p.m. Legion Hall, Troy Hwy.
RESCUE SQUAD - 2nd & 4th Tues. 7:00 p.m. Rescue Squad Building
MASONRY LODGE 170 - 1st & 3rd Monday of each month 7 p.m.
BAND BOOSTERS - 1st Mon. 7 p.m. - Back Room @ Elba High School
VETERANS SERVICE OFFICER - Mon-Fri: 8:12 noon & 12:30-4:30 New Brockton @ Farm Center Complex. 894-3883
COFFEE COUNTY COONHUNTERS ASSN. - 3rd Sat. 3 p.m. - Club House
COFFEE COUNTY AMERICAN WOMEN 3rd Wed. Noon - Colony Inn, Enterprise
AIRPORT AUTHORITY 1st Tuesday-12 Noon - City Hall Conference Room
AARP Meet every 1st Tuesday night of the month
CIVIL AIR PATROL Every Monday 7:00 p.m. - Elba Airport District 1040

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FOOD

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\$112 a month to \$115 a month. For a four-person household, the maximum allotment changed from \$375 to \$386 a month.

"The USDA periodically adjusts the eligibility criteria for the food stamp program to reflect increases in the cost of living," Ms. Briddle explained.

In order to receive food stamps, most households must meet both gross and net income guidelines.

For households that include a disabled person or at least one person who is 60 years of age or older, only net income guidelines must be met.

Currently, there are approximately 200,000 food stamp households in Alabama, including 1,400 households in Coffee County.

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AREA DEATHS

BETTY ALENE ZIGLAR
Betty Aleene Ziglar, age 81 of Elba, Alabama, died Tuesday, October 25, 1994 at her home.

Funeral services were held at 10:00 a.m., Friday, October 28, 1994 from the Hayes Funeral Home Chapel.

Burial followed in the Evergreen Cemetery with Hayes Funeral Home directing.

Survivors include two sons, Owen Ziglar of Elba, AL and Erskine Ziglar of Paxton, MA; three grandchildren; 3 great grandchildren.

The Ziglar family requests that in lieu of flowers, contributions be made to the Evergreen Cemetery Perpetual Care Fund.

RICKY WAYNE MESSICK
Ricky Wayne Messick, age 28 of Elba, Alabama, died Saturday, October 29, 1994.

Funeral services were held at 10:00 a.m., Tuesday, November 1, 1994 from the Mt. Olive Baptist Church with Rev. Marvin Jackson officiating.

Burial followed in the Pine Level Community Cemetery, Elba, AL, with Hayes Funeral Home directing.

Survivors include his wife, Linda Sue Messick of Elba, AL; his mother, Sue Ellen Messick of Freeport, Florida; two brothers, J.D. Messick of Brantley, AL and Rex Deway Messick of Elba, AL; two sisters-in-law, Jennifer Messick of Brantley, AL and Donna Messick of Elba, AL; two grandmothers, Nettie Ruth Messick of Elba, AL and Nell Hughes of New Brockton, AL; a step-son, Chad Houston of Elba, AL; two step-daughters, Tabitha Morgan and Ciji Blue, both of Elba, AL; two grandchildren.

SANDERS' INFANTS'
Joshua Dillon Sanders, 5 days old, died October 25, 1994 and Jonathan Trevor Sanders, 7 days old, died October 27, 1994. Both passed away at Phoebe Putney Memorial Hospital, Albany, Georgia. They are the infant sons of James T. and Amanda T. Sanders of Albany, GA.

Graveside services were held at 11:30 a.m., Saturday, October 29, 1994 in the Pine Level Cemetery of Elba, Alabama. Kimbrell-Stem Funeral Home of Albany, GA and Hayes Funeral Home of Elba, AL handled the arrangements.

Survivors in addition to their parents are: paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Larry Sanders of Albany, GA; paternal great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Sanders of Elba, AL; maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor of Celina, Ohio and Mrs. Brenda Taylor of Elba, AL; maternal great-grandmothers, Mrs. Willodeen Galimore and Mrs. Birdie Nelson, both of Elba, AL.

DEWEY EDWARD EVANS
Dewey Edward Evans, age 52 of Highland Home, Alabama, died Thursday, October 20, 1994. Funeral services were held at 1:00 p.m., Monday, October 24, 1994 from the Shady Grove AME Church with Rev. J.D. Sankey officiating.

Burial followed in the church cemetery with Virgil Coleman Mortuary directing.

Survivors include his wife, Corine Evans of Highland Home, AL; one daughter, Constance Kelley of Montgomery, AL; four sons, Reginald Evans of Lake Wales, Florida, Brent Evans and Marcellus Evans, both of California, and Larry Cole of Elba, AL; two step-children, Patricia Harris and Patrick McKee; two sisters, Anna (Arlie) Wynn of Jamaica, New York and Eva (Fred) Daniels of Laverne, AL; two brothers, Willie Mack (Lucella) Evans of Montgomery, AL and Riley Paul (Betty) Evans of Atlanta, Georgia; one uncle, Levi Coleman of Sanford, FL; two nephews, four nieces, and a host of other relatives and friends.

CHESTER G. MORRIS
Chester G. Morris, age 66 of Brantley, Alabama, died Sunday, October 30, 1994 in a Troy, AL nursing home.

Funeral services were held at 2:00 p.m., Tuesday, November 1, 1994 from the Brantley Baptist Church with Rev. Jerry Hall and Rev. Neal Jackson officiating.

Burial followed in the Brantley Cemetery, with Turner Funeral Home of Laverne, AL directing.

Survivors include his wife, Patricia Adams Morris of Brantley, AL; a son and daughter-in-law, Mike and Laurie Morris of Brantley, AL; a daughter and son-in-law, Judy and Kenneth Mitchell of Brantley, AL; a sister, Edna Gardner; four grandchildren, Anna, CoCo, and Austin Mitchell and Wade Morris.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Dear Editor,

I am writing this letter hoping someone reading this can help me. I am searching for the grave site of my great grandmother and her second husband. Her name was Sallie Mattox. She first married William Anderson Googhan. They were married about 1880. She then married G. J. (General) Walker in Elba, AL in 1885. And according to the 1900 census they had four other children while living here.

The only information as to the location of the graves that I have, came from General Walker's nephew, who passed away several years ago. He said the graveyard was just out of town, but he could not remember the name or location.

I would appreciate it very much if someone knowing the location of these graves would either call or write me at the following address:

L. A. Googhan Sr.
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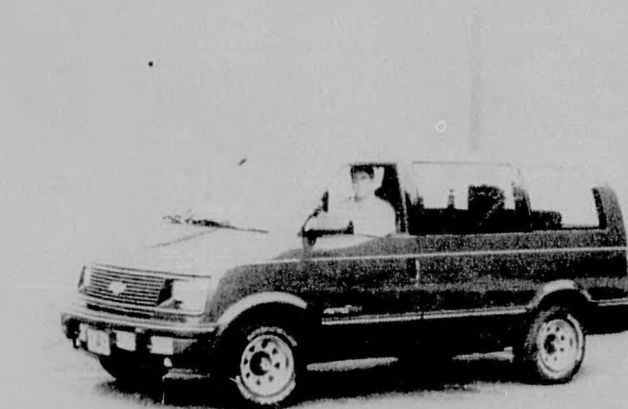
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Magwood - Austin Wedding planned for November 12th



Miss Magwood & Mr. Austin

Mrs. Roberta Magwood of Elba, AL, announces the engagement and forthcoming marriage of her daughter, Rosa Mae Magwood to Robert Junior Austin, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Austin of Opp, AL.

The bride-elect is the granddaughter of the late Sammy and Mary Magwood of Elba, AL and the late Denna Hampton of Brantley, AL. She is employed at Kleiner's of Elba, AL.

The groom is a truck driver for Hall's System of Birmingham, AL. The wedding will be held November 12, 1994 at 3:00 p.m., at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Kelley, 1990 Taylor Mill Road, Elba, AL.

All friends and relatives are invited to attend.

Social & Community News

Michael Hayden Smith honored with birthday celebration

Michael Hayden Smith, son of Leigh Moore of Enterprise and Kevin Smith of Elba, celebrated his 4th birthday on October 29, 1994.

Grandparents are Lamar and Lorene Griffin of New Brockton and Billy and Lindsay Smith of Elba.

DEADLINE FOR SOCIAL NEWS IS MONDAY!!!!



Michael Hayden Smith

Sandra Lee Camley to marry Michael Shane Vaughn

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Camley of Troy, Alabama would like to announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Sandra Lee Camley, to Michael Shane Vaughn. He is the son of the Rev. Glenn and the late Judy Vaughn of Andalusia, Alabama.

The bride is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Camley of Troy, Alabama, and Mr. and Mrs. H.K. Davis of Elba, Alabama.

She is a 1992 graduate of Zion Chapel High School in Jack, Alabama. She is currently attending MacArthur State Technical College in Opp, Alabama, for a degree in nursing.

The bridegroom is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Spivey of Douglas, Georgia, and the late Marvin and Hester Vaughn of Douglas, Georgia. Shane is a 1993 graduate of Andalusia High School in Andalusia, Alabama. He is self-employed at C&S Auto Sales in Andalusia, Alabama.

The wedding will be November 19, 1994, at 2:00 p.m. in the afternoon at West Highland Assembly of God, Andalusia, Alabama. All friends and relatives are invited to attend.



Mr. Vaughn & Miss Camley

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Bethany Michelle Milligan

Bethany Michelle Milligan is five years old

Bethany Michelle Milligan celebrated her fifth birthday on Monday, October 31. She is the daughter of Lynn Milligan of New Brockton and Mike Milligan of Enterprise.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Lewie L. "Bill" Watson, Sr. of New Brockton, Pat and Sharon Milligan of Columbus, Ohio, and Ruth Ann Minor of Fort Walton Beach, Florida.

Great grandmothers are Mattie Milligan and Mildred Cusic, both of Columbus, Ohio. Bethany has one sister, Ashley, ten years old.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Simmons and Mr. and Mrs. Randle Moore request the honour of your presence at the marriage of their children Sonya Marie Simmons and Randle Lamar Moore, Jr. on Saturday, the fifth of November Nineteen hundred and ninety-four at four o'clock in the afternoon at the Church of Christ in Elba, Alabama Reception following ceremony



Rachel Lindsey Tatom

Rachel Lindsey Tatom celebrates first birthday

Rachel Lindsey Tatom celebrated her 1st birthday on November 2, 1994. She is the daughter of Tommy and DaJuna Tatom, Sr. of Laverne, AL. Rachel will celebrate with a party on November 5, 1994.

Socials & Area News

Haleigh Noel Moore celebrates birthday October 23rd



Haleigh Noel Moore

Haleigh Noel Moore was six years old on October 23, 1994. She is the daughter of Tad Moore and Tracey Moore.

Haleigh was honored with a party, given by her daddy, on Sunday, October 23, at her grandparents home, Jerry and Sherry Moore of Elba.

Haleigh celebrated this special day with family and friends.

GTE's AL customers to receive new compact bill format in November

Sam Bowdoin Reunion to be held Sunday, Nov. 6th

The Sam Bowdoin Family Reunion will be held Sunday, November 6th, at the Kinston City Hall.

All family and friends are urged to come.

A covered dish lunch will be served at noon.

Retired Officers' Wives to hold monthly brunch

The Retired Officers' Wives Auxiliary will hold its monthly brunch on November 8, 1994 at 10:30 a.m. at the Officers' Club at Fort Rucker, Alabama.

Membership is open to wives of all retired military officers and all eligible ladies are cordially invited to attend.

Reservations must be made by November 4th. Numbers to call for reservations are: 677-6317; 598-2538; 347-5058; 347-4348; 774-5571; 774-0178; or 598-8153.

Don't Forget To Vote!!!

ESJC Entertainers Fall Show to be held November 10

The ESJC Entertainers Fall Show '94 will be presented Thursday evening, November 10, 1994 at 7:00 in the Student Center at ESJC. The program will open with the Bugs Bunny Cartoon Show Theme, "This is it" and will feature music by Stephen Sondheim, Jules Styne, George Gershwin, Andrew Lloyd Webber, and Manhattan Transfer. Two medleys, *Higher and Higher* and *States with a Twist*, add a rock 'n' roll punch to the evenings' high energy entertainment.

The Entertainers is a show choir whose purpose is to share musical talents with and provide entertainment for area schools, civic groups, churches, nursing homes, Fort Rucker organizations, etc. The group provides students opportunities for developing individual musicianship and stage performance skills while serving the college in the areas of public relations and recruiting. The group was organized in 1980 and is directed by Dr. Richard Snyder, Chair of the Fine Arts Division, who also directs the ESJC Singers and Community Chorus. The Entertainers specialize in a fast-paced show with a variety of choreographed musical routines including show tunes, ballads, patriotic music, pop, jazz and music from the Broadway stage.

The Entertainers are consistently rated superior in competition and the group has received the "Best in Class" award five times at the National Peanut Festival Choral Festival. Entertainers have also been awarded first place in the Alabama College System Music Showcase. Known for their talent, versatility and smile, each member attends ESJC on a Performing Arts or Academic Scholarship.

Members of the Entertainers are Kristine Allen, Wendy Graham, Amelia Cain, Matt Andrews, Bechari Phillips, Josh Rummel, Terry Stepp, Allan Whittaker, Chris Edwards, Patrick Herold and Beth Lewis, all of Enterprise; Amy Seavon, Amy Garner, Malinda Peary, Marcus Wilcox, and John Jenkins, all of Ozark; Shannon Colquett and Brad Rhymes, both of Opp; Christine Swicord of Dothan; Holly Daniels of Wicksburg; Jason Hughes of Coffee Springs; and Ashley Savell of Elba. Their accompanist is Mrs. Rhonda Smith.



STUDENTS FROM AREA HIGH SCHOOLS ATTENDED A WORKSHOP for the Alabama Association of Student Councils, held at Enterprise State Junior College. Pictured on the back row, left to right are Toby Chastain, Samson; Mitsy Ross and Jami Wilks of Geneva, Rob Andrews, an ESJC Mentor, of Enterprise; and Eric Simmons, an ESJC Mentor, of Elba. On the front row, left to right, are Christie Mitchell, Daleville; and Anna Scarborough of Elba. The theme for the workshop was "Becoming a Motivated Achiever."

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Work to restrict PACs

Voted to limit PAC contributions and co-sponsored legislation to do away with all PAC contributions.

Support term limits for Congress.

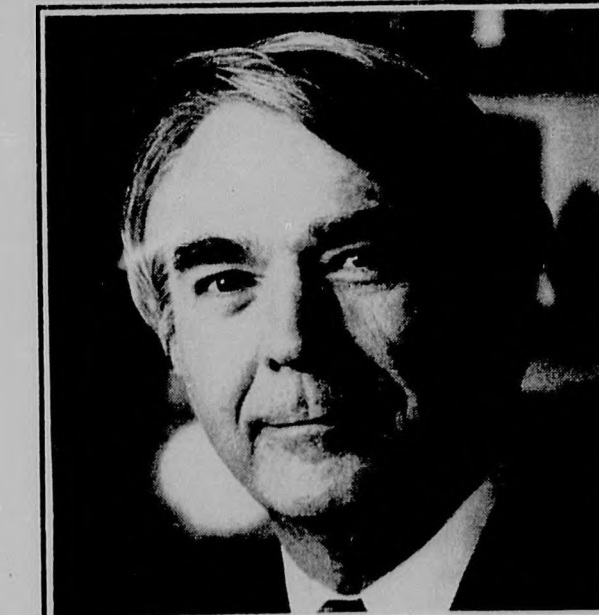
Co-sponsored legislation to limit terms for members of Congress.

Support a Balanced Budget.

Voted for a Balanced Budget Amendment to halt the country's huge budget deficits and has voted to cut the deficit according to National Taxpayers Union.

Support strong national defense.

He has worked for \$115 million in Maxwell/Gunter, Fort Rucker and local national guard mission growth and enhancements.



Terry Everett

Allow no Social Security cuts.

Voted to make the Social Security Administration an independent agency and ensure its future while guarding against Social Security cuts.

Work to provide jobs.

Sponsored a small business development conference, chaired the House Republican Anti-NAFTA Task Force to protect U.S. jobs.

Support Agriculture.

Formed the Congressional Peanut Caucus, Second District agriculture advisory committee, and gained a seat on the House Agriculture Committee.

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ZC Fundraiser

by Sheryl Nelson
The Athletic Club is selling the "World's Greatest Chocolate," each with a coupon for a large pizza at the price of a medium pizza from Pizza Hut. Coach Mark Coale is coordinating the chocolate sale.

The FBLA and the Science Club are working together to raise extra money for their clubs by selling jewelry, candy, and Christmas supplies, such as wrapping paper and ornaments. The FBLA is sponsored by Mrs. Rachel Bryan and the Science Club is sponsored by Mrs. Michelle Melina.

The Beta Club has been selling posters, miniposters, post-it notes, and calendars. They sold over 400 posters.

ZION CHAPEL
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Fifth Graders Study Peanuts



FFA Meeting

by Joe Carnley
The Zion Chapel FFA Chapter recently held their first meeting in the auditorium at Zion Chapel High. The main purpose of this meeting was to welcome members to the FFA and to get started on fruit sales.

Citrus fruit and apples can be purchased from an FFA member anytime before November 18. The fruit will be delivered in time for Christmas.

The fruit available is: navel oranges, ruby red seedless grapefruit, tangelos, and Hamlin oranges. The fruit can be purchased by the whole case or by the half case. Navel oranges are \$18 and \$10. Grapefruit is \$14 and \$8. Tangelos are \$16 and \$9. Hamlin oranges are \$14 and \$8.

Yellow Delicious Apples and Red Delicious Apples can also be purchased by the whole case and the half case. The apples are \$24 and \$13.

Any member of the Zion Chapel FFA can be contacted to purchase fruit. A person can also call Mr. John McCrory at Zion Chapel High School. The number is 897-6275.

There were 64 members present at the meeting. The members seemed to be enthusiastic about being a part of the FFA and they were ready to get started with another great year.

The FFA officers are Joe Carnley, president; Larry Sikes, vice-president; Stacy Brooks, secretary; Wendy Rugg, treasurer; Courtney Moran, reporter; and Mr. John McCrory, advisor.

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- Achieved State and Southern Association accreditation for all schools.
- Provided a safe, reliable transportation system with modern buses.
- Raised the overall performance on test scores to above the state and national average.
- Extra activities broadened - bands, football programs and vocational clubs.
- Established new vocational programs.
- Improved financial standing in order to provide more support for all students.

I, my wife and our three children, attended schools in New Brockton. 3 grandchildren attend New Brockton at present. My interest in our schools is to continue to work with our superintendent, board members, principals, teachers, students and parents for the best for our schools.

Pd Pol Adv by Harrell Carroll, Rt. 1, Box 172, New Brockton, AL

Zion Chapel Charters Junior Beta Club

by Stacy Brooks
The National Beta Club has chartered a Chapter of the National Junior Beta Club at Zion Chapel.

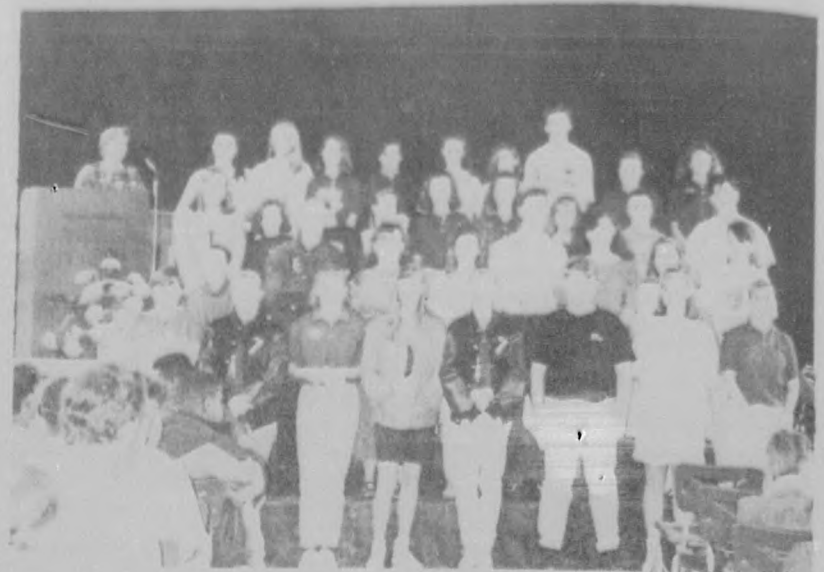
Mrs. Sonya K. Shaw, sponsor of the '94-95 Elba High School Beta Club, will also be sponsoring the Junior High Beta Club.

The club will be open to Junior High students in grades seven through nine who have a grade point average (GPA) of 85 or above. Students will be able to enter the club by each semester, depending upon their GPA.

There will be 34 charter members of the Junior Beta Club. The inductees were notified of their eligibility at a taping ceremony.

They were presented a student invitation into the Beta Club and an invitation to the formal ceremony which will be held November 10.

The inductees of the Zion Chapel Junior Beta Club are Amy Collins, Stacy Cape, Justin Law, Emily Mitchell, Kaye Eddins, Daphne Jinnig, Morgan Hodges, Jessica Keller, Kelli Kinnick, Christina Shuman, Tammy Duran, Charlie Maddox, Elizabeth Bedsole, Carissa Walker, Alisha Walker, Michelle McIntosh, Bart Hughes, Skylar Boswell, Laura Williams, Wesley Clark, Amy Eddins, Angie Seacat, Jamie Hall, Michelle Sawyer, Ashley Nelson, Mandi Ellis, Teresa Hall, Beth Leverett, Salena Shuman, Shasta Simmons, Tina Johnson, Danielle Richards, Chris Archie, Teresa Hall, and April Grissett.



JUNIOR BETA CLUB INDUCTEES

Future Homemakers' Installation Ceremony

by Nicole Stokes
For the first time the Zion Chapel chapter of the Future Homemakers of America performed the nationally recognized Installation Ceremony. This ceremony included eight white candles which represented the purposes of the organization and one red candle which represented the light of home economics.

Each candle was lit by an officer. While lighting the candle the officer discussed the purpose that the candle symbolized. Last year's president, Angie Davis, lit the red candle. The incoming officers inducted were Nicole Stokes, president; Hanna Whitely, vice president; Julie Cartwright, secretary; Angie Seacat, treasurer; Amanda Sanders and Elizabeth Bedsole, recreation leaders; Ashley Nelson, reporter; and Nena Williams, historian.

The closing ceremony was led by the new 1994-95 president, Nicole Stokes.

Traveler, Peanut Farming, From Peanuts to Peanut Butter, and What Did I Learn? Since "goober" is a nickname for the peanut, the students also learned the class planted peanuts and Mrs. Sessions class brought in recipes for their favorite food made from peanuts. Students utilized several skills during this unit. Some of these were map skills, following directions, and sequencing.

Mrs. Sessions created a newsletter for each student. The newsletter contained the recipes for the favorite peanut food of some of the students.

The closing ceremony was led by the new 1994-95 president, Nicole Stokes.

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Coffee County Schools Menu

November 7 - 11, 1994

BREAKFAST

Monday - Cheese Toast, Choice of Cereal, Choice of Juice & Milk.

Tuesday - Donuts, Choice of Cereal, Choice of Juice & Milk.

Wednesday - Link Sausage & Biscuits w/Syrup or Jelly, Choice of Cereal, Choice of Juice & Milk.

Thursday - Cheese Grits, Toast & Jelly, Choice of Cereal, Choice of Juice & Milk.

Friday - Holiday.

LUNCH

Monday - Taco Salad or Chicken Fingers, Lettuce & Tomato Salad, Creamed Potatoes, Rolls, Raisin Oatmeal Cookie, Choice of Fruit, Choice of Juice & Milk.

Tuesday - Barbecued Pork Chops or Extra Special Taco Salad, Steamed Broccoli, Corn on Cob, Choice of Fruit, Choice of Juice & Milk.

Wednesday - Oven Fried Chicken or Toast & Jelly, Choice of Cereal, Choice of Juice & Milk.

Thursday - Pizza or Spaghetti w/Meat Sauce, Baked Potatoes w/Sour Cream or Butter, Choice of Fruit, Rice Salad, Garlic Bread, Choice of Juice & Milk.

Friday - Holiday.

Future Business Leaders Hold Meeting

by Stacy Brooks
The Future Business Leaders of America held their first meeting on Wednesday, October 25, in the Zion Chapel auditorium.

The meeting began with an installation ceremony for the 1994-95 officers. Windham. An emblem ceremony was

the last ceremony held at the meeting. The purpose of this ceremony was to review the meaning and purposes of FBLA.

The first item of business was the annual fundraiser. The FBLA has teamed up with Mrs. Michelle Melina's science classes to sell jewelry, candy, and Christmas items as their annual fundraiser.

Each student was asked to sell at least 10 items in order to reach their goal of 400 items. The FBLA members were divided into teams and the team captains announced their teams at the meeting.

Team captains are Stacy Brooks, Sabrina Stokes, Alisha Jones, and Angie Davis.

Mrs. Rachel Bryan, sponsor of FBLA, also discussed the Cake Walk that was to be held at the Fall Festival. Each member was asked to bring a cake to help support the club. A prize will be awarded for the best decorated cake brought in Thursday morning.

The FBLA members were given red ribbons to wear for the remainder of the week and were also given one to give a friend.

The meeting came to a close with the reciting of the FBLA Creed. Britley Black, president of the FBLA, adjourned the meeting.

Pictured above are (l-r): Seated - Melissa Jones, Donna Windham, Amanda Williams, Cindy Langley, and Jennifer Jones; Standing - Pam Bell, Adrienne Cotton, Josh Prescott, Cris Clark, and Stephanie Tidwell.

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Citrus Bowl Bound



by Carrie Bradley
This past summer, Ashley Laney attended the Troy State University Summer Band Camp the week of July 17-22. Ashley attended the camp to learn more about leadership skills and get ideas for the '94-95 Elba High School Band. She never thought she would be dancing in the Citrus Bowl December 29-January 3. This is definitely a one-in-a-lifetime chance.

Ashley and 20 other girls went through a week of sore muscles and hard work to try out and be chosen to dance in the Citrus Bowl. They learned a routine to "The Flinstones" and performed it at the end of the week for the whole camp. The girls that will be going to the Citrus Bowl were chosen by their camp instructor. Congratulations to Ashley. We know she will represent Elba well.

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Citrus Bowl Bound



by Carrie Bradley
This past summer, Ashley Laney attended the Troy State University Summer Band Camp the week of July 17-22. Ashley attended the camp to learn more about leadership skills and get ideas for the '94-95 Elba High School Band. She never thought she would be dancing in the Citrus Bowl December 29-January 3. This is definitely a one-in-a-lifetime chance.

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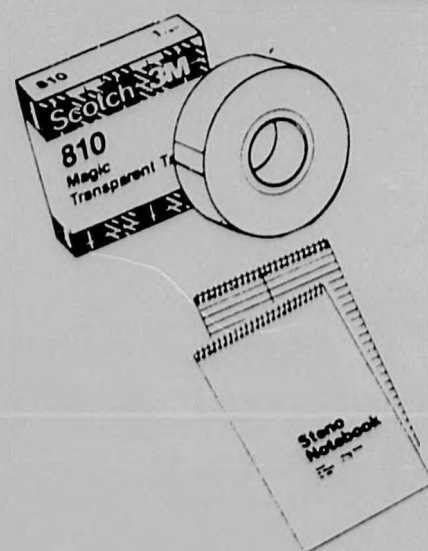


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FOR GOVERNOR (VOTE FOR ONE)	JIM FOISON	FOR JAMES, JR.		
FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR (VOTE FOR ONE)	RON SIEGELMAN	CHARLIE GRADDICK		
FOR UNITED STATES HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVE, DIST. 2 (VOTE FOR ONE)	BRIAN DOWLING	TERRY EVERETT		
FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL (VOTE FOR ONE)	JIMMY EVANS	JEFF SESSIONS		
FOR STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 31 (VOTE FOR ONE)	TERRY ELLIS	DWIGHT ADAMS		
FOR STATE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 91 (VOTE FOR ONE)	TERRY SPICER	W. GARRETH MOORE		
FOR CHIEF JUSTICE ALABAMA SUPREME COURT (VOTE FOR ONE)	SONNY HORNSBY	PERRY O. HOOPER, SR.		
FOR SUPREME COURT JUSTICE, PLACE 1 (VOTE FOR ONE)	HUGH MADDOX			
FOR SUPREME COURT JUSTICE, PLACE 2 (VOTE FOR ONE)	MARK KENNEDY	HAROLD SEE		
FOR SUPREME COURT JUSTICE, PLACE 3 (VOTE FOR ONE)	RALPH D. COOK	MARK MONTIEL		
FOR SUPREME COURT JUSTICE, PLACE 4 (VOTE FOR ONE)	TERRY L. BUTTS	ROBERT J. (R.J.) RUSSELL		
FOR COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS, PLACE 1 (VOTE FOR ONE)	WILLIAM "BILL" ROBERTSON			
FOR COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS, PLACE 2 (VOTE FOR ONE)	ROGER M. MONROE	JOHN B. CRAWLEY		
FOR COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS, PLACE 3 (VOTE FOR ONE)	WALTER TURNER	FRANK LONG		
FOR COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS, PLACE 1 (VOTE FOR ONE)	BILL BOWEN	GREG GRIFFIN		
FOR COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS, PLACE 2 (VOTE FOR ONE)	SUE BELL COBE	VICKIE W. GAVIN		
FOR SECRETARY OF STATE (VOTE FOR ONE)	JIM BENNETT	JIM MARTIN		
FOR STATE TREASURER (VOTE FOR ONE)	LUCY BAXLEY	PATRY "PAT" DUNCAN		
FOR STATE AUDITOR (VOTE FOR ONE)	CHARLEY BAKER	JACK THOMPSON		
FOR COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE AND INDUSTRIES (VOTE FOR ONE)	A. W. TODD	LEE HELMS		
FOR ASSOCIATE COMMISSIONER PSC, PLACE 1 (VOTE FOR ONE)	JAN COOK			
FOR ASSOCIATE COMMISSIONER PSC, PLACE 2 (VOTE FOR ONE)	CHARLES B. MARTIN	Michelle Mathers BUCK		
FOR STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION, DISTRICT 2 (VOTE FOR ONE)	G. J. "DUTCH" Higginbotham			
FOR CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE, 12TH CIRCUIT, PLACE 1 (VOTE FOR ONE)	THOMAS E. HEAD	LLOYD McCAMMON		
FOR DISTRICT JUDGE (VOTE FOR ONE)	STEVEN BLAIR			
FOR CIRCUIT CLERK (VOTE FOR ONE)	JIM ELLIS	BILL GAMMILL		
FOR PROBATE JUDGE (VOTE FOR ONE)	MARION B. BRUNSON	BOYD HARTZOG		
FOR SHERIFF (VOTE FOR ONE)	BEN MOATES			
FOR CORONER—ELBA DIVISION (VOTE FOR ONE)	MARVIN McILWAIN			
FOR CORONER—ENTERPRISE DIVISION (VOTE FOR ONE)	TIM WHITEHEAD			
FOR COFFEE COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD, DISTRICT 2 (VOTE FOR ONE)	G. BEN AMONG	JOCK A. SPENCER		
FOR COFFEE COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD, DISTRICT 3 (VOTE FOR ONE)	HARRELL CARROLL			
FOR COFFEE COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD, DISTRICT 5 (VOTE FOR ONE)	BURIN McKINNON			

RANDALL PEARSON



FROM THE HOUSE

Congressman
Terry Everett

Next Week, Take Part in Democracy

With just a week left before America goes to the polls to select their choices for federal, state and local office, there can be no overstating the point that every single vote counts.

Tuesday, November 8th, is election day. Yet millions of Americans will not participate in the most precious right they have as U.S. citizens — the right to vote.

This is evidenced by the fact that the United States consistently lags well behind many other western nations in voter turnout. Twenty-three other countries outpace us in voter participation, the top being Italy with a 94% turnout.

Austria rates at 89%, Portugal at 86%, Denmark at 81%, France at 78%, the United Kingdom at 76%, and Japan at 74%. We, on the other hand, can only muster a paltry 55% response.

Why is that Americans don't bother to vote? Most say it's just indifference to the political process. Still others believe their lone vote will never have any impact.

In fact, history is full of examples where an election was decided on a small number of votes, and in some cases, just on a single ballot.

In the 1960 presidential election, John F. Kennedy defeated Richard Nixon by only 100,000 votes. This amounted to about one vote per precinct in the United States.

So just one vote per precinct made a difference. In Hawaii, the race was so close that Kennedy actu-

ally won by only 115 votes. The power of a single vote can be seen in the 1981 Kentucky State House race between Lewis Foster and June Lyne. The election produced a tie — 5,683 votes for each candidate. So, pursuant to Kentucky state law, the two candidates drew lots to determine the winner. How many people do you imagine had stayed home, thinking their vote wouldn't count?

Still other one-vote examples have occurred in the U.S. Congress. In 1941, the U.S. House of Representatives cast a one-vote margin to re-institute the draft at President Roosevelt's request.

In 1868, the U.S. Senate refused to impeach President Andrew Johnson by just one vote. In 1845, the state of Texas was admitted to the Union by only one vote of the U.S. Senate. And, thanks to just one vote in the Continental Congress, our national symbol today is the eagle and not the turkey!

During the 1988 presidential election, just half of those eligible to vote actually exercised their right.

Voter turnout in the 1990 congressional elections was worse — only 37% nationally. In the last election year — 1992 — 55% of the total voting age population bothered to vote. This was a substantial increase, but pales in comparison to our European friends.

Let's make 1994 an even better year for voter participation. Be a part of the democratic process. Your vote does count, so use it!



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ELBA MARKET
Cattle & Calves

Salable Receipts (Est.).....100	Hogs
Week Ago (Actual).....108	300
Year Ago (Actual).....9	267
	602

OPP MARKET
Cattle & Calves

Salable Receipts (Est.).....656	Hogs
Week Ago (Actual).....1027	0
Year Ago (Actual).....782	0
	35

BREAKDOWN

HOGS (ELBA MKT ONLY): Compared to week ago, Barrows & Gilts: 1.00 Higher, US 1-3, 230-250 lbs, 27.00-29.00; US 2-3, 250-270 lbs, 25.00-28.00; Sows: 1.00-3.00 Higher, US 1-3, 300-400 lbs, 18.00-21.00; 400-500 lbs, 21.50-23.75; 500 lbs and Up, 24.00-25.50. Feeder Pigs: 5.00 Lower, US 1-3, 25-50 lbs, 39.00-45.00; 50-80 lbs, 36.00-40.00; 80-100 lbs, 35.00-39.00; 100-125 lbs, 34.00-37.00; 125-150 lbs, 33.00-36.00; 150-175 lbs, 32.00-35.00; 175-200 lbs, 31.00-34.00; 200-250 lbs, 30.00-33.00; 250-300 lbs, 29.00-32.00; 300-350 lbs, 28.00-31.00; 350-400 lbs, 27.00-30.00; 400-450 lbs, 26.00-29.00; 450-500 lbs, 25.00-28.00; 500-550 lbs, 24.00-27.00; 550-600 lbs, 23.00-26.00; 600-650 lbs, 22.00-25.00; 650-700 lbs, 21.00-24.00; 700-750 lbs, 20.00-23.00; 750-800 lbs, 19.00-22.00; 800-850 lbs, 18.00-21.00; 850-900 lbs, 17.00-20.00; 900-950 lbs, 16.00-19.00; 950-1000 lbs, 15.00-18.00; 1000-1100 lbs, 14.00-17.00; 1100-1200 lbs, 13.00-16.00; 1200-1300 lbs, 12.00-15.00; 1300-1400 lbs, 11.00-14.00; 1400-1500 lbs, 10.00-13.00; 1500-1600 lbs, 9.00-12.00; 1600-1700 lbs, 8.00-11.00; 1700-1800 lbs, 7.00-10.00; 1800-1900 lbs, 6.00-9.00; 1900-2000 lbs, 5.00-8.00; 2000-2100 lbs, 4.00-7.00; 2100-2200 lbs, 3.00-6.00; 2200-2300 lbs, 2.00-5.00; 2300-2400 lbs, 1.00-4.00; 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Elba's Daniel Kidd (61) sacks Andalusia quarterback Daniel Wells (14) for a loss in the third quarter. The Elba defense held the Bulldogs to 43 yards rushing as the Tigers claimed their second win of the season against the 5A Bulldogs. Elba will travel to Evergreen this week to meet the Hillcrest Jaguars.



Elba's Todd Grantham (80) and Todd Hooks (60) combine to stop an Andalusia runner for no gain. The Elba defense turned in its best night of the season against the Bulldogs and in the second half held Andalusia's offense to only 7 yards in total offense. Closing in to help is Mott Barnes (72).

Elba dumps Andalusia 30-6

By Ricky Mularz, Sports Editor

The Elba Tigers scored on five straight possessions Friday night to erase an early Andalusia lead and coasted to a 30-6 win over the winless Bulldogs, in front of a small crowd at Elba's Tiger Stadium.

The win, Elba's second in three games, upped the Tigers' record to 2-6, while Andalusia slipped to 0-8 with the loss.

Andalusia received the opening kickoff and gave its fans something to cheer about in a hurry as the Bulldogs marched 66 yards in six plays to grab an early lead.

A roughing the kicker penalty on fourth down and eight was a key play in the drive, while the touchdown came on a 37-yard pass from Daniel Wells to Derrick Gantt. The extra-point try failed, but with 8:17 left in the first quarter Andalusia was ahead 6-0.

Elba's Leray Smedley returned the ensuing kickoff 27 yards to put the Tiger offense in business at the Elba 34-yardline, and in only four plays the Tigers had a first down at

the Andalusia 19-yardline.

A 17-yard pass from Che Vaughan to Cory Howe and a 29-yard run by Derrick Kyles were big plays in the march, however, the Tigers came away empty-handed when on second down an Elba runner fumbled and Andalusia recovered at its own 8-yardline.

Elba began its next series at the Bulldog 42-yardline following a 35-yard punt, and this time needed only two plays to reach the endzone.

Che Vaughan gained 16 yards on an option on the first play of the series, and also called his own number on the second play, and raced untouching 26 yards for a touchdown. The extra-point try sailed wide, leaving the longtime rivals deadlocked at 6-6 with 13:37 left in the stanza.

Elba's Che Vaughan intercepted an Andalusia pass and returned it 24 yards to the Bulldog 16-yardline on the first snap following the kickoff, and Elba appeared to increase its lead when Derrick Kyles apparently scored on a five yard scamper. The score was nullified by an Elba penalty, however, and on fourth down

the Tigers had to settle for three points as Michael Vines booted a 27-yard field-goal to give Elba a 9-6 lead with :06 still left in the first quarter.

The Tigers started their next possession at the Andalusia 40-yardline and this time needed two plays to get back in the endzone, with the touchdown coming on a 48-yard reverse by Leray Smedley. Vines tacked on the extra-point to increase Elba's lead to 16-6 with 8:52 remaining in the half.

A 31-yard Andalusia punt gave the Tigers the ball back at the Bulldog 48-yardline and once again Elba headed for the endzone.

Chris Tyson gained 39 yards on three carries to spark the scoring march, while Derrick Kyles got the Tigers the ball back at the Bulldog 48-yardline and with 1:54 booted the extra-point and with 1:54 left in the half Elba was in control with a 23-6 advantage.

Andalusia threatened in the closing seconds of the half, and behind the running and passing of Daniel Wells reached the Elba 17-yardline with :01 left on the clock. Wells scrambled for 11 yards on the final play of the half, but was stopped six yards short of the endzone by Elba's Rudy Free, and at intermission Elba went in with a 23-6 lead.

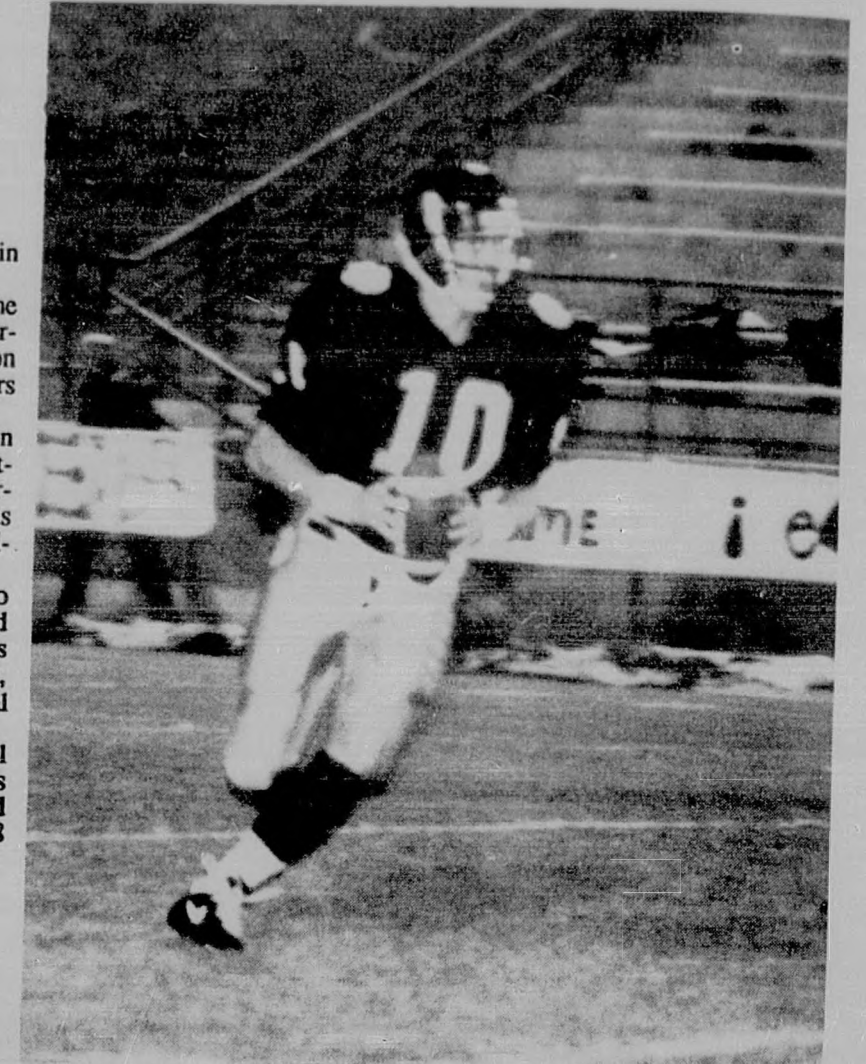
Elba received the second half kickoff and brought its fans to their feet as Leray Smedley caught the kick at the 7-yardline and zig-zagged his way 93 yards for an apparent touchdown. A clipping penalty brought the ball back out to the Andalusia 46-yardline and nullified the exciting touchdown run, but only proved to delay the score, as two plays later Che Vaughan again kept on an option and this time scampered down the sidelines 35 yards for a touchdown. Michael Vines booted the extra-point and with 9:48 left in the third quarter the Tigers had blown it open by taking a 30-6 advantage.

The Tigers got a chance to add to their lead only three plays later when a bad snap on a punt attempt was downed at the Andalusia 6-yardline, but two penalties against the Tigers slowed the short march to the endzone, and a pass interception at the 1-yardline ended the scoring opportunity.

Elba threatened on its next two possessions, but again let scoring opportunities slip away with turnovers.

Late in the third quarter Elba moved to a second down and one at the Andalusia 8-yardline, only to lose a fumble, and early in the fourth quarter it appeared Elba had added to its lead, only to see a penalty nul-

STATISTICS	
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13	1st Downs
310	Rushing Yds.
17	Passing Yds.
327	Total Offense
1-5-2	Passes
3/2	Fumbles/Lost
1-35	Punts-Ave.
100	Penalty Yds.



Elba quarterback Che Vaughan (10) looks for the defense after turning the corner against Andalusia. Vaughan gained 95 yards and scored 2 touchdowns in the 30-6 win.

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Brockton tames Tigers 33-19

By Chris Flowers, Sports Writer

The New Brockton Gamecocks used big plays to grab a first half lead and then pulled away in the second half to dump the Red Level Tigers 33-19, Friday night in New Brockton.

The win improved New Brockton's record to 3-6, while Red Level slipped to 1-8 with the loss.



Red Level's Chris Wright (5) loses the handle on the ball after being hit by a Gamecock defender.

Red Level received the opening kickoff and marched 71 yards in 13 plays to grab an early lead.

Demeatrice Mallory and Chris Wright combined to gain 60 yards on 10 carries during the early scoring march, with Wright getting the touchdown on a 16-yard scamper. Ben Taylor booted the extra-point and with 7:15 left in the first quarter the Tigers were on top 7-0.

Red Level was ahead, but not for long, as New Brockton's Mitchell Truitt took the ensuing kickoff at the 11-yardline and raced 89 yards to put the Gamecocks on the scoreboard.

The 89-yard jaunt took only 13 seconds, and after Michael Spangenberg added the extra-point, the score was knotted at 7-7 with 7:02 remaining in the opening stanza.

The Gamecocks got the ball back at the Red Level 31-yardline on a Tiger fumble and needed only five plays to get back in the endzone.

A 17-yard pass from Scott Hughes to Mitchell Truitt on fourth down and four was a key play in the drive, while the touchdown came on an 8-yard scamper by Hughes. The extra-point try failed, but New Brockton had the lead at 13-7 with 3:14 still left in the first quarter.

The teams swapped punts on their next four possessions; however, Red Level put the ball in play at its own 18-yardline midway through the second stanza and drove 82 yards in 10 plays to knot the scoreboard at 13-13.

Demeatrice Mallory and Chris Wright were again the workhorses for the Tigers as they combined for 59 yards on 8 carries, and it was Wright that got the score on a 31-yard dash. The extra-point attempt failed, leaving the score tied at 13-13 with 4:13 remaining in the half.

The Gamecocks failed to move the chains on their next possession, but got the ball right back when Scott Hughes intercepted a Red Level pass and returned it 26 yards to the Tiger 4-yardline.

On the next play Mitchell Truitt scored on a 4-yard run, and while the two-point try failed, the Gamecocks were back on top 19-13 with 1:49 left in the half.

New Brockton received the second half kick and drove 87 yards in 13 plays to stretch its lead to 25-13.

Scott Hughes gained 10 yards on two carries and hit Mitchell Truitt on a 22-yard pass to spark the scoring drive, while Truitt notched the score on a 1-yard plunge. A two-point run failed, leaving the Gamecock with a 25-13 lead with 5:21 left in the third quarter.

Red Level recovered a Gamecock fumble at the New Brockton 22-yardline late in the game and covered the distance in only three plays to score its third TD of the night.

Chris Wright got the score on an 11-yard run, cutting the Gamecock lead to 33-19 with 3:01 left in the game. However, it was as close as



New Brockton's Quran Mackie (27) and a teammate combine to make the stop on a Red Level runner during action last week in the Gamecocks' 33-19 win over the Tigers.

The Gamecocks got the ball back on a Tiger punt and this time overcame two major distance penalties to reach paydirt.

Mitchell Truitt carried the ball only twice during the drive, but gained 30 yards, and got the score on a 5-yard run. Quran Mackie ran in for the two-point conversion, and with 9:23 left in the game New Brockton had taken command with a 33-13 lead.

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The Tigers would get as New Brockton held on for the big 33-19 victory.

Mitchell Truitt gained 105 yards on 17 carries, caught 2 passes for 31 yards and returned a kickoff 89 yards for a touchdown to lead the Gamecocks, while Chris Wright gained 178 yards on 21 carries to lead Red Level.

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Brantley cheerleaders have had an easy time keeping the fans fired up this season as the Bulldogs have claimed eight wins against only one loss.

Brantley jolts Johnson 14-6

From Staff Reports

The Brantley Bulldogs had a fight on their hands for all forty-eight minutes Friday night, but took everything the A.L. Johnson Eagles had to dish out, and at the final horn were still standing as they claimed a hard fought 14-6 win.

The win improved Brantley's record to 8-1, while Johnson fell to 7-2 with the loss.

Brantley broke a scoreless battle in the second quarter as Jimmy Burnett hauled in a touchdown pass and Patrick Hill booted the extra-point to put Brantley ahead 7-0 with 9:46 left in the stanza.

A.L. Johnson couldn't mount any serious scoring threats for much of the half, but did begin to move late in the second quarter, only to see Brantley's Jimmy Burnett intercept an Eagle pass at the Bulldog 8-yardline to preserve Brantley's 7-0 advantage.

An 82-yard run by Charlie Layton moved the Bulldogs from the Brantley 12-yardline to the Eagle 6, and the score came on a 4-yard touchdown pass to Marco Jones. Hill hit the extra-point, giving the Bulldogs a 14-6 lead with 3:41 left in the third quarter.

A.L. Johnson marched to a first down and goal at the Brantley 1-yardline late in the fourth quarter and threatened to send the game into overtime, but was backed up in the six by a penalty and then failed to gain on first down due to a fumbled snap.

Charlie Layton broke up an Eagle pass on second down, and on third down Marco Jones tipped away a pass deep in the endzone.

The Eagles kept the ball on the ground on the crucial fourth down play; however, Patrick Hill and Charlie Layton combined to stop the Johnson running back for no gain, and the Bulldogs had withstood the challenge with a gallant goaline stand.

A.L. Johnson got the ball back with 2:52 left on the clock and had one final shot at scoring, only to see Brantley's Dramaine James intercept an Eagle pass to kill the Johnson hopes, and seal the Bulldog win.

Charlie Layton gained 219 yards on 14 carries to lead the Brantley ground attack, and had runs of 25, 28, 43 and 82 yards, while Ivan Christon added 16 yards on 4 carries and hit on 3 of 6 passes for 25 yards and two touchdowns.

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Zion Chapel Rebels blank G.W. Long 13-0

By Cade Shiver, Sports Writer

The Zion Chapel Rebels traveled to Skipperville Friday night for a battle with the G.W. Long Rebels and improved their record to 5-4 on the season with a big 13-0 win.



Zion Chapel's Elliot Liprot (7) looks for room to run in last week's big 13-0 win over G.W. Long.

The Zion Chapel defense gave the Rebels two excellent scoring chances early in the game, as Kevin Hobbs intercepted a Long pass at the Long 27-yardline, and the Rebels re-

covered a fumble deep in Long territory. The Rebel offense failed to cash in on either scoring opportunity, however, and the scoreboard remained at 0-0 after some early ZC excitement.

Zion Chapel began its third series of the night near midfield after a Long High punt, and this time made the most of the excellent field position, as the Rebels marched 50 yards in six plays to get on the scoreboard.

The touchdown came when Shane Bragg dragged a host of Long defenders over the goal line on a 19-yard scoring scamper, and Kevin Hobbs booted the extra-point, giving Zion Chapel a 7-0 lead with 11:52 left in the half.

The defenses ruled the contest for the remainder of the half; however, Zion Chapel's offense woke up again on its opening series of the third quarter and marched 70 yards in 13 plays to increase its lead.

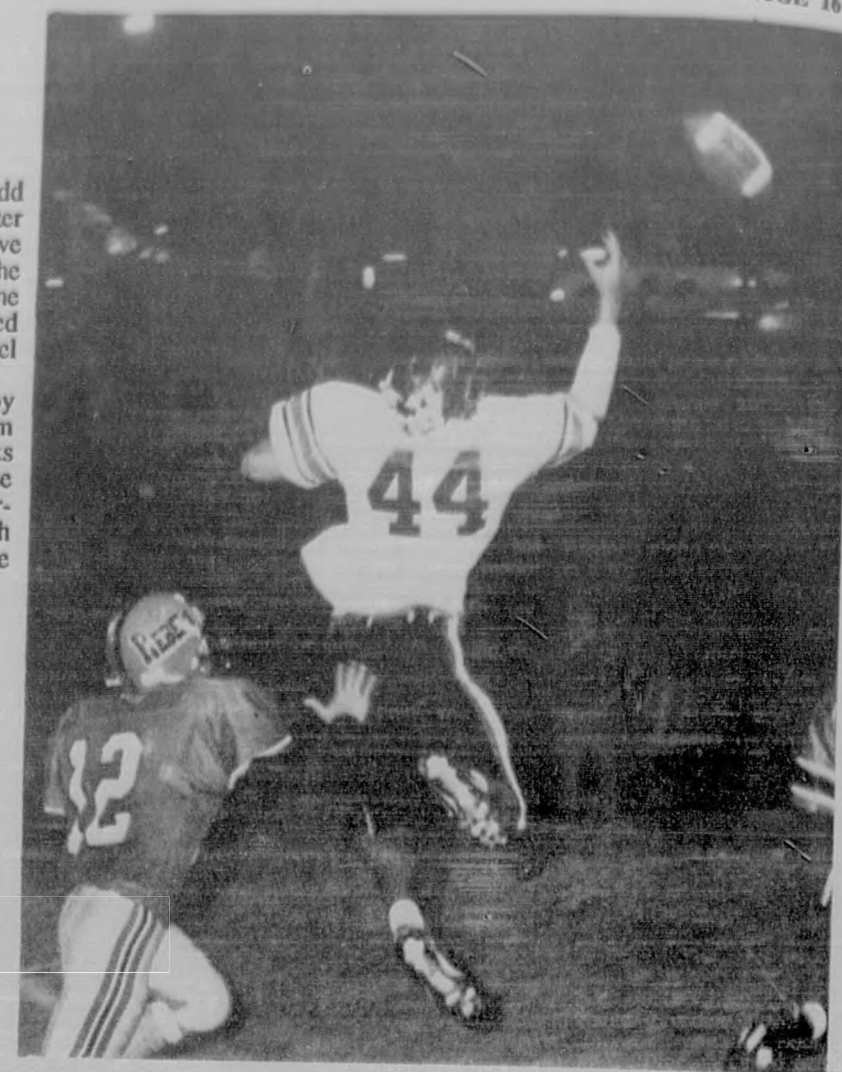
Elliot Liprot was the workhorse of the drive, which didn't end until the Rebels were in the endzone, and gave Zion Chapel a 13-0 advantage.

Zion Chapel had a chance to add to its lead in the fourth quarter after a 27-yard run by Shane Bragg gave the Rebels a first and goal at the Long six-yardline. However, one play later a Rebel pass was picked off in the endzone, and Zion Chapel settled for the 13-0 win.

The Zion Chapel defense, led by Napoleon Smith, was back in form Friday night as it recorded 8 sacks for 62 yards in losses. The offense was led by Roy Stewart with 14 carries for 97 yards, Elliot Liprot with 18 carries for 94 yards and Shane Bragg with 6 carries for 87 yards.

STATISTICS			
ZC	13	1st Downs	6
	264	Rushing Yds.	138
	2	Passing Yds.	-7
	266	Total Offense	131
	1-10-1	Passes	15-1
	2	Fumbles Lost	3

GO REBELS!!!!



Zion Chapel's Thomas Cawley (44) goes high in an attempt to catch a pass in the Rebels 13-0 win over G.W. Long.

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Kinston title hopes dashed by McKenzie 52-12

By Greg Brunson, Sports Writer

The McKenzie Tigers took a giant step toward the Class 1A, Area 3 championship Friday night with an impressive 52-12 victory over the visiting Kinston Bulldogs.

McKenzie's defense took control early in the game, as on Kinston's second play from scrimmage Andrea Owens scooped up a Bulldog fumble and returned it 18 yards for a touchdown. A bad snap resulted in a missed extra-point, leaving McKenzie's lead at 6-0 with 9:58 left in the first quarter.

The next time Kinston got its hands on the football, another turnover resulted in another instant Tiger touchdown. Willie Pettway intercepted a Jason Williams pass and returned it 33 yards into the endzone, and Derrell McClain ran in for the two-point conversion, moving McKenzie's lead to 14-0 with 7:29 still left in the opening stanza.

A Kinston punt gave the Tigers possession at the McKenzie 42-yardline, and one play later the Tigers were back in the endzone as Derrell McClain raced 37 yards for a touchdown. Another bad snap foiled the punt try, but McKenzie was on top 20-0 in the first quarter and in complete command.

Kinston displayed some offensive power of its own on its ensuing possession and marched 58 yards in 15 plays to reach the McKenzie 4-yardline. The Tiger defense stiffened, however, and turned back the Bulldogs on downs.

McKenzie then quickly marched 79 yards in only five plays to add to its lead, with the touchdown coming on an 11-yard run by Willie Pettway. A two-point pass failed to connect, but the Tigers' lead was up to 26-0 with 1:31 still left in the first half.

The two teams exchanged interceptions late in the half, with Shannon Shufford grabbing a Bulldog pass and Donny Day claiming an interception for Kinston.

The teams swapped turnovers again late in the third quarter as Jeremy Mack recovered a Tiger fumble, and Trey Hughes intercepted a Bulldog pass.

Derrell McClain got the fifth McKenzie TD of the night on a 46-yard scamper with 3:01 left in the third quarter, and while the punt failed, it made little difference, as the Tigers were on top 32-0.

McKenzie's next score came as Jeff Fletcher picked off a Kinston fumble in mid-air and raced 25 yards into the endzone. Trey Hughes added the extra-point to increase the Tigers' lead to 39-0 with 10:57 left in the game.

The Bulldogs took the ensuing kickoff and marched 75 yards in eight plays to finally get on the scoreboard!

The big play in the drive was a fantastic catch and run by Anthony Jones that covered 65 yards, while the score came on fourth down when Jason Wambles hooked up with Michael Simmons on eight yards out. A two-point try failed, as McKenzie's lead stood at 39-6 with 8:00 left on the clock.

McKenzie recovered the ensuing on-sides kick attempt by Kinston, and needed only two plays to add to its lead, with the score coming when Derrell McClain went off right tackle and galloped 52 yards untouched. The punt failed, but with 6:36 left in the game McKenzie had a 45-6 lead and the win well in hand.

An excellent kickoff return by Kinston's Jeremy Osburn gave the Bulldogs excellent field position at midfield, and it took the Bulldogs nine plays to cover the 50 yards to the endzone.

The score came on a 1-yard pass from Jason Wambles to Anthony Jones, but the two-point try failed,

leaving the McKenzie lead at 45-12 with 3:50 left on the clock. Justin Bennett dashed 52 yards on McKenzie's next play from scrimmage for yet another Tiger touchdown, and Trey Hughes tackled on the extra-point to give the Tigers the easy 52-12 win.

McKenzie's Derrell McClain was the game's leading rusher with 219

STATISTICS			
K	11	1st Downs	14
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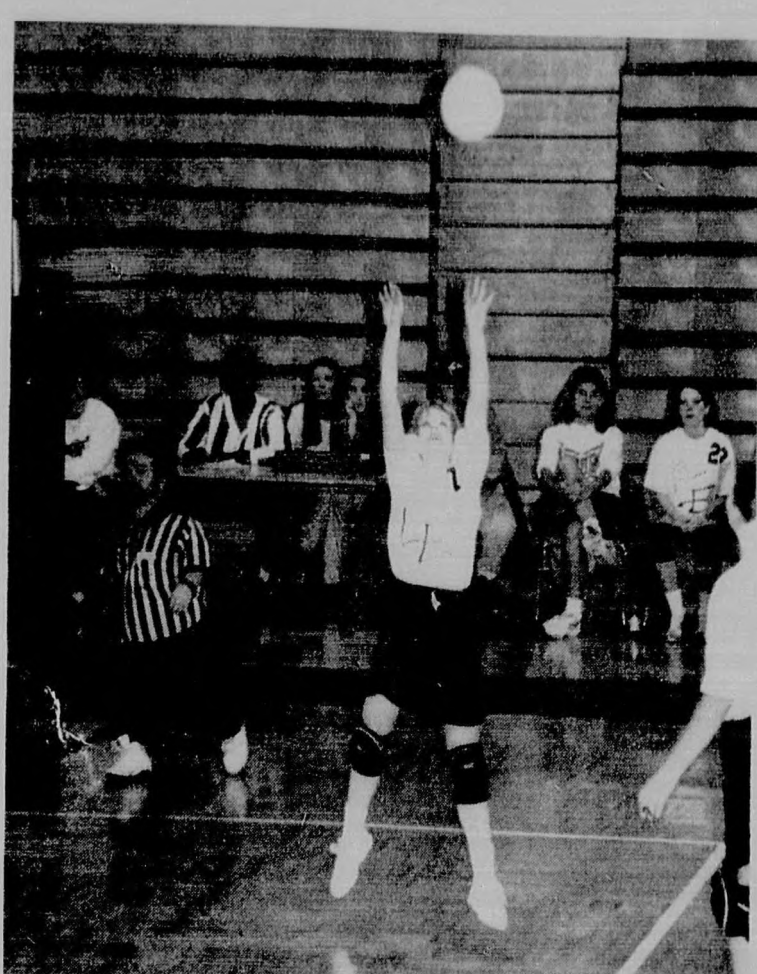
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PROBATE JUDGE



Elba Lady Tiger Leigh Kelley goes to a knee to return a serve in Saturday's sub-state tournament action.



Elba Lady Tiger Cary Clark sets the ball up for a teammate during Elba's 15-12, 15-11 loss to Houston County.



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Elba Lady Tigers close season with narrow 15-13, 15-12 losses

The Elba Lady Tigers, in only their second season of competition, hosted the Class 3A Sub-State Volleyball Tournament on Saturday afternoon, and played one of their best matches of the season before being eliminated in the semifinals.

The Lady Tigers, who entered the tournament as the Area 4 champions, met Area 3 runner-up Houston County in the semifinal matchup, but lost two hotly contested matches 15-13 and 15-12.

Elba fell behind 3-0 and 5-2 in the opening match, but rallied behind the serving of Velma Whitfield and the overall play of Cary Clark to grab a 7-6 lead. Houston County moved back on top 12-7 and appeared to have the match well in hand, only to see the Lady Tigers rally behind the play of Leigh Kelley to pull within 12-10.

Elba cut the deficit to 14-13 on a Leigh Kelley serve; however, Houston County scored the game's final point and claimed the 15-13 win.

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Lady Tiger Velma Whitfield goes to the net to make a return in Saturday's sub-state loss to Houston County.

Coaches needed for Elba basketball

The Elba Department of Parks and Recreation is now seeking coaches for its "Youth Basketball" program.

Leagues will be offered for boys ages 8-10, and 11-12, and this season there will also be a league offered for girls ages 9-12.

For more information contact Ricky Mularz at 897-6833.

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General Election Results For Coffee County

The results are in from Tuesday's, November 3rd, General Election and Coffee County has a new sheriff, a new probate judge, a new state senator, and a new state representative.	U.S. REPRESENTATIVE Brian Dowling 3,118 Terry Everett 8,293	COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS COURT, PLACE 3 Walter Turner 4,302 John B. Crawley 5,569
Due to "technical difficulties" with voting machines throughout the county, the tallying of votes was delayed. All the amendments, twenty-six of them, had to be voted on paper ballots and the vote totaling at the individuals precincts was slowed.	ATTORNEY GENERAL Jimmy Evans 4,603 Jeff Sessions 6,887	SECRETARY OF STATE Jim Bennett 5,454 Vickie Gavin 4,484
The following is a race by race recap of how Coffee County voters cast their ballots. (Note: All totals are unofficial.)	STATE SENATOR Terry Ellis 6,543 Dwight Adams 5,099	STATE TREASURER Lucy Baxley 5,407 Jim Martin 5,485
FOR SHERIFF Ben Moates 7,092 Boyd Hartzog 4,452	STATE REP. DIS. 31 Terry Spicer 5,826 Garrett Moore 5,835	STATE AUDITOR Charley Baker 4,965 Patsy Duncan 4,699
FOR PROBATE JUDGE Marion Brunson 5,591 Bill Gammill 6,130	CHIEF JUSTICE ALABAMA SUPREME COURT Sonny Hornsby 5,152 Perry Hooper, Sr. 5,750	COMM. OF AG & IND. A.W. Todd 5,447 Jack Thompson 5,309
FOR DISTRICT JUDGE Steve Blair 6,960 Lloyd McCammon 3,757	COFFEE CO. BOE, DIS. 2 Ben Armlong 789 Jack Spencer 673	COFFEE CO. BOE, DIS. 3 Harrell Carroll 960 Randall Peason 385
FOR GOVERNOR Jim Folsom 5,380 Fob James, Jr. 6,600	SUPREME COURT JUS -TICE PLACE 2 Mark Kennedy 5,337 Harold See 5,191	At press time, the vote tally was still being taken on the amendments. The results will be printed at a later date and will reflect the statewide results. (Note: On statewide races, the results could differ from the above.)
FOR LT. GOVERNOR Don Siegelman 7,460 Charlie Graddick 4,145	SUPREME COURT JUS -TICE PLACE 3 Terry Butts 7,394 Robert J. Russell 4,139	



BAD BUT COULD HAVE BEEN A LOT WORSE... This was the comment heard at the two-car collision which occurred last Friday afternoon at approximately 1:45 p.m. in front of Toddakins on U. S. Hwy. 84 West in Elba. The picture above was taken as rescue personnel with the Elba Rescue Squad prepared to remove Shannon Corey James, 21, of 124 Searcy Street, Andalusia, AL, from his vehicle. The driver of the other vehicle, a 1987 Nissan pickup, Michel Lodon McCollough, 26, of 683 Herman Driggers Drive, Elba was shaken up in the head-on collision but was not injured. According to reports at the scene, James was trying to avoid hitting a car stopped and waiting to turn into Toddakins when he slid into the oncoming lane of traffic crashing head-on with McCollough's truck. James was taken to Elba General Hospital where he was treated and later released. The accident was investigated by Elba Police Officer Dale Grimes assisted by Officer Donnie Byrd.

RANDOM DRUG TESTING OF EMPLOYEES INCLUDED

County BOE adopts drug screening policy

by Marvin McLwain
Editor

The Coffee County School Board meeting in regular session Monday evening breezed through a short agenda before going into executive session.

According to Superintendent Clayton Bryant, the reason for the executive session was for a student disciplinary hearing. He described the incident involving a New Brockton student was not one of a real serious nature.

However, the matter did require that action be taken by the board. Prior to the closed door session, board members reviewed a drug screening policy for employees involved in the transportation of students.

During the discussion of the policy, it was noted that volunteers who drive a vehicle belonging to the county school system will be subject to the terms of the policy as well as full-time employees of the system.

The Board, after several minutes of discussion and reviewing the policy in detail with Supt. Bryant and Ted Fillingim, director of transportation for the county school system, approved the policy in two parts - Draft A and Draft B.

The purpose of Draft A is to establish policy and procedures which ensure that the Coffee County School System maintains a drug-free workplace.

Supt. Bryant explained to board members that the establishment of this policy will ensure that the county school system is in compliance with the drug free workplace requirements of Public Law 104-696 for recipients of federal contracts and grants.

Draft A of the policy will apply to ALL employees of the county school system. It states: "The unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensation, or use of a controlled substance is prohibited by the Coffee County School System on any property owned, leased, or controlled by the school system or during any activity conducted, sponsored, or authorized by or on behalf of the school system."

The second part of the policy, Draft B, is directed - in general - to those persons involved in the transportation of students in the county school system.

The general policy is stated as follows: "Practical experience and research has proven that even small quantities of narcotics, abused prescription drugs, or alcohol can impair judgement and reflexes."

"Even when not readily apparent, this impairment can have serious results, particularly for employees operating vehicles or potentially dangerous equipment."

With the adoption of this policy, the Board insists that employees report to work without any alcohol or illegal mind-altering substances in their system.

Outlined in the policy is the provision for random unannounced screening for alcohol and/or drugs of all employees.

The Omnibus Transportation Employee Testing Act of 1991 already requires substance screening for employees and applicants for employment involving transportation of individuals.

In adopting the drug and alcohol abuse policy, the Coffee County School System will maintain a drug free awareness program to inform employees about the dangers of drug abuse in the workplace; the system's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace; any available drug counseling, rehabilitation, and employee assistance program; and the penalties that may be imposed upon employees for drug abuse violations.

After adoption of the policy, the Board approved the appointment of Golda Donaldson as the county school system's Drug Program Coordinator.

The Alabama Reference Laboratories of Dothan, Alabama will maintain a documented procedure for collecting, shipping, and accessing urine specimens.

Dr. Russell Cook was designated by the Board as the Medical Review Officer for the county school system. All employees of the Coffee County School System will receive a copy of the policy adopted by the school board at Monday's meeting.

POLICEMAN AND STREET EMPLOYEE RESIGNS

New Brockton Council settles into routine

by Marvin McLwain
Editor

The town council meetings in New Brockton seem to be becoming more routine than those in the recent past.

Council members moved through a fourteen item agenda in less than forty-five minutes last Monday evening.

Payment of bills totaling \$29,352.22 was approved after a short discussion concerning charges for work done on one of the new police cars recently purchased by the town.

The police chief, Charles Driggers, was instructed to have all work performed on the new cars done at an authorized dealership.

It was noted that the two new police cars are being bought on a lease-purchase plan and it is possible that the repairs are covered under warranty or the lease agreement.

Councilman Charles Cole reported his findings on the Alma Hornsby/Big Little Store incident.

When the incident was first brought before the council, it was thought that the grandson of Ms. Hornsby was singled out in being asked to leave the store.

According to Ms. Hornsby, the youngster - with the approval of the store manager - was sitting at one of the booths doing his homework when he was asked to leave.

It was her opinion that the matter had been handled in a very unprofessional manner by the New Brockton police officer.

Cole's finding, after talking with the store manager, Hornsby's grandson and the police officer involved, was that no wrong doing was committed by the officer.

He stated that all three individuals verified that no particular person or persons were singled out during the incident.

Officer Gilbert had responded to the scene after it had been reported that there was a fight at the store. He instructed all juveniles at the store at the time, both inside and outside, to leave the premises.

Cole reported that all three did say that the officer gave his instruction in "a loud voice," but that, at no time did he single anyone out.

Ms. Hornsby, who was at Monday's meeting, stated that she was satisfied that the matter had been investigated properly and that she considered the matter closed.

Turning to other matters, the council heard the police chief's report of the department's activities for the month of October. Officers answered 23 complaints, made 2 arrests, issued 5 traffic citations, and investigated 2 automobile accidents.

The chief noted that the rescue squad made 13 runs while the fire department responded to 1 fire alarm.

The council accepted resignations from Police Officer David Krupa and an employee with the street department, Roger Junior Jackson.

Approval was given by the council to hire Darrell Griswold on a temporary basis to fill in for Assistant Chief Gilbert, who is on leave from the department following surgery.

Also, Delane Holloway's employment as a police officer to replace Krupa was approved by the council.

With the council in a hiring mood, Councilman Clinton Marler asked for and got approval to hire Hank Geplert to replace Jackson in the street department.

Some more good news for full-time employees with the town came when council members approved a 2.5% cost-of-living raise effective January 1, 1995, and granted a one-time raise of \$50 for full-time employees and \$25 for part-time employees for Christmas. This will be on the employees' paycheck the first week in December.

Other actions taken by the council were as follows:

***Joined the Enterprise Chamber of Commerce. Dues \$150 annually.

***Approved the up-dating of the town's municipal codes at a cost of approximately \$7,000 over a 2-year period of time.

***Appointed Terri Mae Smith to the New Brockton Housing Authority Board.

***Approved the hiring of Beatrice Cardwell to clean city hall one time a week at a cost of \$15.

***Voted to have a council work session (council meeting) Monday, Nov. 14, at 7:00 p.m. in city hall.

***Approved the closing of offices in city hall on Thursday and Friday, November 24 & 25, in observance of the Thanksgiving holiday.

***Approved \$200 for the purchase of "hand tools" for the street department.

***Approved payment for the repair and updating of the computer used by the senior aide in the city clerk's office.

HAPPENINGS

DUCKS UNLIMITED. There will be a Ducks Unlimited Banquet at the Elba Country Club Thursday night (Tonight), Nov. 10 starting at 6:00 p.m. For more information call Dr. Billy Farris @ 897-6477, Kenneth Grantham @ 897-6031 or Kenneth Calhoun @ 897-3428.

FRIDAY NIGHT FOOTBALL. The Elba Tigers vs Briarwood at Briarwood (7:30 p.m.); Brantley vs Montgomery Academy in Brantley (7:00 p.m.); and Kinston vs Frisco City at Frisco City (7:00 p.m.).

ALABAMA VS. AUBURN BLOOD DRIVE. Blood drive Friday, November 11, from 12:00 p.m. until 4:00 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church in Elba. Alabama and Auburn football fans will be pitted against each other in a blood battle that will help keep the blood supply at a safe level during the Thanksgiving holidays. Each person who registers to donate will score one point for their favorite team.

CITY OFFICES TO CLOSE. The offices of the City of Elba will be closed Friday (tomorrow), November 11, 1994, in observance of Veterans Day. Anyone having an emergency with water, electrical, or street should call the Elba Police Department at 897-2555.

FARM-CITY WEEK CELEBRATION
NOVEMBER 18-25, 1994
Banquet Thursday, Nov. 17th, at 6:30 p.m.



RETIRED TEACHERS' DAY... Educators, both working and retired, took on as Elba Mayor Remy Haywood signs a proclamation proclaiming Tuesday, Nov. 15th, as Retired Teachers' Day. Pictured above are front row seated (l-r) - Cupidan M. Crook, Mayor Haywood, and Buna Faye Hornsby; second row (l-r) - Lloyd Crook, Lamar Foley, and Leon Hornsby; back row (l-r) - Virgil Coleman, Superintendent of Elba City Schools Charles Pearce, and Superintendent of Coffee County Schools Clayton Bryant.